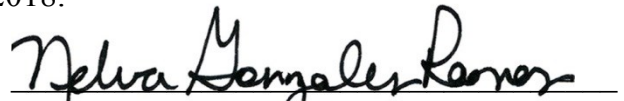


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prejudice is appropriate in the interest of fairness and justice. *See generally, Bell v. Terminix Int'l Co. Ltd. P'ship*, No. 16-00012 ACK-KSC, 2016 WL 3166318, at *4–7 (D. Haw. June 6, 2016) (citing *Hart v. Bayer Corp.*, 199 F.3d 239, 248 n.6 (5th Cir. 2000)).

The Court GRANTS Plaintiff's oral motion for leave to amend and ORDERS Plaintiff to file any such amended complaint on or before seven (7) days from the date of this Order. The Court TAKES UNDER ADVISEMENT the motion to remand (D.E. 5) pending filing of the proposed amended complaint.

ORDERED this 5th day of January, 2018.


NELVA GONZALES RAMOS
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE